



ACRATONMA

Portoforo

PLAST Portrait



Yasuto works for his father's company as subordinate to his older brother's friend, Sakaguchi-san, and harbors a latent affection for him. The day before his sister's wedding, Yasuto strongly confesses his feelings to Sakaguchi. The answer he receives is surprising and unexpected, but at this first face, can Yasuto face the consequences of having his wish fulfilled...?

This volume also contains the independent story, *Stolen by Heaven*. This is a fast paced, FBI suspense thriller between a police agent and his charge, a former gang-boss who's been convicted of treason. A different approach to the genre of "tough" love.

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Portrait

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Flag,
asshole,
wake up.

Flag,
asshole,
wake up.

Leave him alone! He might be crazy, y'know?

We're getting soaked!

I ran from the house, into the stinging rain, which did not hurt quite so much as

I ran from the house, into the stinging rain, which did not hurt quite so much as

the piercing
arrow of
my father's
words,
"Art serves
no purpose."

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Am I's
completely
soaked.

Walking
around
without an
umbrella will
do that,
I guess.

I'll give
you mine.
I want you
to take it,
go home,
and dry
off.

Here.

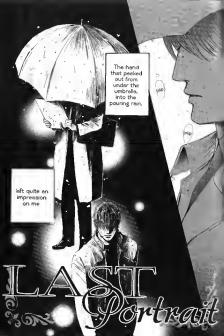


SSSHHHH

That's
okay.

I don't
need it
anymore.
Do me a
favor, and
throw that
away.





The hand
that peeked
out from
under the
umbrella,
into the
pouring rain,

left quite an
impression
on me

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"Morning."

relax and
leave the
remaining
details to
Sakaguchi-
kun.

with his
flawless
record at
the company,
we can certainly

The man
who will
soon be my
brother-
in-law.



Six months
ago, he
suggested
that my sister
marry his
subordinate.

My father
is president
of a general
construction
company.

"Morning"

Good
morning

Apparently,
he's a
stock worth
investing in.

Indeed...

He's going to
succeed me as
president, so
you understand
my concern.

Is he
doing well
at the
company?

What
do you
think
of our
son?



I'm proud
to work with
such an
intelligent
man.

I would say
he understands
all that is
required of
him

He's been
well-taught
from a very
early age



I'll be
responsible
for the com-
pany one day
so please
instruct
me

I first met
him this
Spring



It will
be my
honour

I'm
Sakaguchi
the lead
designer



I'm Yamada
the son. I'll be
working under you
in the planning
department

I recently
graduated from
college and have
no previous
experience

Clean
hands

PA-TUP

I'm
pleased
to meet
you

SHAKE

Do you
suppose
we've met
somewhere
before?

I somehow...
have this
feeling of
 déjà vu...

Hi me

You're
staring
pretty
intently

Familiar?

No, I

Oh,
God...he
noticed...!!

mean



Like

they're
sculpted
from
plaster.

your
heads
are

I just
think

Fine idea

No

I know
what
you
mean

Damn!
I got carried
away with
that last
part!

N - Not
plaster!

I mean
I don't
mean it
in a bad
way. I

I'm not a
flesh and
blood human.

The
fact is



Sakaguchi-san,
your section
chief



I'll be
getting
married in
six months
to someone
you already
know

Yamada



to be
happy



It's finally
my turn

He turns to me
and smiles without
a hint of animosity.



And I don't
hate him
so much
that I can't
stand the
thought
of being
related
to him.

I don't view
him as stealing
her away from
me. I don't
have a sister
complex.





"Like they're
sculpted
from plaster."



"I just think
your hands
are flawless."



"It will be
my pleasure."

...when
I first
met him.



"I'm Sakaguchi,
the lead designer."

I had never
wanted
to draw
a person
so badly.

Sorry.

I know

but
that's
the thing
I have
to do

CCC

I wanted
to trap
him on a
piece of
paper.

That way,
he'd belong
to me and
only me.

Yet you
are so
much of
each other
at work.

He
must find
pleasure
around
you.

Forgive
him.

SHUT

A
little

I
suppose

Sakaguchi-
san, does
he behave
like this at
work?

Oh, my.
Are you
going out,
Yamato?

But

I have no
doubt we'll
be as close
as brothers
one day.

I wish
you'd stay
and chat
with us
once in
a while.





Heum...

Yeah, the lighting and disaster prevention ones, and... some security stuff I think

I take it they haven't demolished it yet. Do we have the new blueprints?

Art museum... I haven't been to an art museum in a while...



Homotokun



Fuu



Mama

Mama



Shinji



Muh?



HISTORICAL ART
MUSEUM





Yamato-kun?



and
just keep
staring
at it.

I would
draw it in
my sketch
book,

When I
was little...
and wanted
something.



it made me
feel like they
were mine in
some small
way.

or a game
console that
all the other
kids had,

When
I wanted
a dog, but
my father
hated
them.



If you're
not sleeping
what are you
doing?

"Art serves
no purpose!"



but
over time
drawing
became
fun for
me.

That's
how it
was in the
beginning.



Sorry

Forget everything I just said

don't
forget
the
museum



I've been
trying
to return
this

I've had
it in my
locker at
work

Here.



I believe
this is
yours.



You
asked me
to throw
it away.
but I
couldn't
do it.

"I want you to
take it, go home
and dry off."



I want
this to be a
completed
sketch
book.

You've
filled in
all but
the last
page



then I'll
gladly
take it.

When
it is,



I wouldn't
draw any
more...

I
decided





Each painting we
saw that day was
so magnificent,

it was like being
wrapped in a
dream



Here

It's
been so
long,

let's look
around
before
we go

Somehow... it
wasn't enough.



Ah!

That
must be
Yamato.

she had
SHU?

Your
sister's
dress just
arrived
today.

Honey,
honey,
come
look.

I'm
home.

Isn't
she
lovely?





See how it
complements
her white
skin.

Miyabi
is the
perfection
of form
and color.

Welcome
home,

Yamato.



That's
a high
compliment
from you.

Hee
hee.

You look
beautiful.

Flowers—



and find
someone
special,
too.

Yamato,
hurry.



"I would
draw it in my
sketch book,
and just keep
staring at it."

"When I
wanted
something."



"It made me
feel like it
was mine in
some small
way."

scribble

Dear Sister,

right now, I
am a horrible
brother,

who wants
to snatch
away your
happiness.









I was
just thinking
of rousing
you.



Not
long.



HOW LONG
HAVE YOU
BEEN THERE
...?!

H-



Oh.



So the
sketch book
is complete,
like you
wanted.

I tore it
out and
threw it
away.



I wanted
to ask
you

why...
the last
page of your
sketch book
is gone.











I was
prepared to
go my whole
life without
telling you.

I was
afraid you'd
resent me
for loving
you.

Why...

do you
tell me
this now?

not
because
I loved
her.

"I'll be getting
married in
six months."

I decided
to marry
Miyabi.

but only
because I
wanted to
be closer
to you.

I know
this is what
I wanted,
but

I don't know
what the
right thing
to do is...

Ah...
NO...

CREAK

Sakaguchi—
so—

It's
Pinafu
and her
brother
Sakaguchi.

Am I
an evil
man?

Sister,
I'm sorry.

—m—

Don't
forget
Sakaguchi.

*Just for
this moment,
let me have
him.*





for
keeping
you
waiting



I apologize



Sakaguchi-
san

Here
he is.

Ah!

Listen,

Sakaguchi-san...

Yes...
He says he'll
definitely come
tomorrow.

Does
Yamato
seem like
he'll be
OK?

Good,
I'm glad



private...

Let's go
some place



"Only because
I wanted to be
closer to you"







Wearing
white, the
man whose
body I'd
embraced

truly
looked
like a
sculpture.



Truly
a face
and blood
of man



Truly
a face
and blood
of man





What is
the meaning
of this?!



She was here
30 minutes
before the
ceremony.
Why isn't she
here now?!

Please,
dear,
come
down

I wish
I could
tell you,
sir...





I just can't believe it.



My sister left to be with another man...



We even had that damn dress made for her...

My father's really pissed.

My father's really pissed.

Ha ha! That's because he's been embarrassed in front of the top clients he invited.



but a man with a wife and child...

Not just that...



Yes, I know.



"To tell you the truth..."



"Don't be sorry..."

I'm sorry I can't forget about him.





used to
want to
be an
artist

L

twos

twos



not
anymore

But...



only one
person I
want to
see my
drawings.

There's

And...

working at
that company
forever with you
doesn't sound
so bad.

End



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Letting the sweetness melt

MEANS--

LOST PORTRAIT

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Sourness sometimes
Clearer sometimes
Over sometimes

interview
a potential marriage
partner?

What?

SEARCHING FOR *Paradise*



Don't look
so though
I've got a
wedding
date!

You're still
going. You
mustn't think
seriously about
marriage yet

Don't tell me
there's already
someone you're
considering?

What,
Yamato?

What, he'll
also if he gets
me there—
is promise
the into
marriage...

But it can't
hurt to meet
the girl. You
might enjoy her
company

UH!

B-Dma



End



to eliminate any false expectations that the world is kind

Yes, and it's time to hammer in the nail.

It's too soon to displace him.

Th-That's-- wait a minute.

He's barely begun to get a fix for this company, hasn't he?

Same with Miyagi. Had she not succumbed to short-sighted greed, she would be living without hardship.

He spent his youth drawing worthless dreams on paper.

An ounce of prevention would have been worth a pound of cure.

What company we work for is of prime importance in life.

We may not like it, but we can get used to it.

I don't care how. Maybe he got held over.

He said he'd come this early after work.

I suppose I'll take care of that.

Then we just need to figure the lowest amount.

I see.

Very well, sir.

I've arranged for him to work outside the company, so if you could tell him, please.

Tomato needs to learn how the industry is organized.

Oh, and Sakaguchi-kun.

I wonder...

Admittedly, the affair aspect is a social wrong, but...

I wonder about the consequences of what I'm doing.

I wonder if being with a man will result in something bad.



"You should
do something
with art when
you grow up."



"You're
so good at
drawing
Yamato."



My voice
would be
just another
discordant
sound
in a sea
of human
noise.



"You're still
sharper
than me
Yamato."



There's only
one person
whose voice
matters to
her now.



Sorry
I'm la—



Yamato-
kun,



Sis—



Ah



Having given
up her home
in pursuit
of a married
man.



Her smile is no
longer weighed
down by anxiety
or regret. She
looks genuinely
happy.

She's never
looked like
that before...

My sister's
transformation
made me feel

left behind

make
you wish
you were
her?

Did
seeing her

Huh?

Let's
go away,
too.

We'll
forget
about
society
and
family...

To another
country or
anywhere
it doesn't
matter



with
a man,
and...

I just...

she
seemed
so happy

saw my
sister...

It's
not
that...

I... I'm
sorry! I
didn't
think I'd
get held
over so
long...



She is
not coming
back

Happier
than

she'd
ever been
at home
...



To be
willing
to give
up

To see
nothing
else...

To hear
nothing
but his
voice.



Even
small stars
should look
clear from
here

the countless
millions of
light years
of space
stretched out
before you...
just to be
with him.



"not because
I loved her"

"I decided
to marry
Miyabi"



"but
only"

"because
I wanted
to be closer
to you"

So this
is how it
feels, dear
sister



Since the
moment
I fell in love
with you
—a man—

I've been
prepared
to give up
everything.



Oh,
wouldn't
it?



Uh...



Is that
how you
emotional
me when
you drew
me?



I would
never think
anything
dirty

I would
never do
anything
wrong



If that's
what you
thought



Sakaguchi-
san?



—



"The doctor says
there's an
open air bath
here, but
why don't you
go or ahead?"

"But? You're
not coming to,
Sakaguchi-san?"

"I want
you to have
some time
alone to
think."

"I'll go
in after
you"



Thinking
you might
be gone
when I
got out

made it
difficult
to enjoy
the bath



...

"and you
was I have
been gone
too long"



"If you change
your mind about
this, you can go
home while I'm
in the bath"



Who knows
what'll have
done with you
right in front
of me, naked



?

Although,
I don't think I
could've handled
being in the bath
together
anymore

S-
Sakaguchi-
san, you
wouldn't







Forgive
me.

Mother...
Father...

I love
this man...

more than
anything
else.

YAKUSCHI

was causing
him so much
pain.

Nit...!

Uhn...!

uff

I'm
sorry.

I was
pushing
too
hard...

Is it too
much?
should I
stop?

Kia...

fine

Yes
can

do it

hard

—if

Bravo



Haragi,
Yamato,
are you
there?!



Sakaguchi
was your model,
right? Damn,
you made him
look good!

I just
saw your
contest
entry!



and it still
doesn't do the real
thing justice

I know



CHU-KAN



So is
he working again
today?

Nah, he's
sleeping



Stairway to Heaven
ASCENT



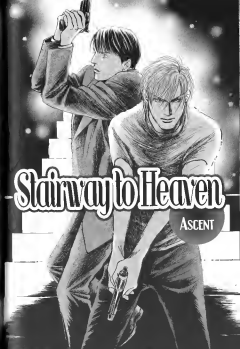
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Sakaguchi-
san,



I am
incredibly
happy right
now...





Hey...
ain't that
Keith?
Keith
Coburn.



Who's up.

What's
a convicted
criminal doin'
at the FBI,
go I possi?

Didn't
they lock
him up?

George



Keith

This place
is still damper
than a wet
towel.

A man
can breathe
easier in the
jail. Less
mold there.



no one
matches
your
expertise.

When it
comes to
chores,

Six months
since my
transfer,
my field of
expertise is
"chores."

Joining the
FBI used to be
just a dream.
Now, it's
anything but.



I just want
the chance
to do some
field work.

It was sheer
determination
that got me
through the
academy.

I know
I don't have
my colleagues
coverage of
strength.





Beep

Bip



"Keith Coburn."



Bip



Bip Bip

"Scheduled to be executed July 2, 2004."



Scheduled to be—



"Was found to be looking classified information in Russia in May of 2003"

"Shot and killed fellow agent George Blake, by whom he had been discovered."

"Threatened convicted in December of that same year"



I still can't believe

what became of you.



It's really, George.

there can't nether to believe about it.

Sorry to say



Keith Coburn wasn't the





So, no single target, just one indiscriminate terrorism

The of "time bomb in a stolen car" plot, uh



After the incident,



this disk arrived at the central office

it explains the premise as a hunt for bombs that have been planted in several metropolitan areas.

We can't seem to get past the introductory screen, but-

It contains a simulation game



There was an accident in Seattle today



Stolen car. The bomb was made of easily accessible materials which caused significant damage

A car bomb with a timer attached. Luckily, no one was injured

July second...

He has seven days to live...

in one week?!



Do you guys even know if that disk isn't just some asshole's idea of a joke, Kyoji?

And?

What's this gotta do with me?







WHA—







Or would you rather I go right here?

I'm takin' a piss.

Wait—

Where do you think you're—

Wait a—



Keith!

That's right

Kevin just notified me—

You took this case in exchange for seven days of economy



He won't try to run—

It's fine



Lay off! This ain't got nothin' to do with you

Seven days of freedom is a pittance compared to—

ought to be smart enough to hold out for a full pardon from the president!

Someone of your mental capacity



I hear you found several bombs without leaving your assigned seat.



Keith!

You should be happy to see me die

I killed one of your men

All the fuckin' mold is killin' me.

Sorry to cut this short, but I need some air.

If you didn't trust me, you'd have America's finest boy at this point, right now.

Come on...

?!

Based on?

You still have work to do!

Hold it right there, Kettle!

complete autonomy.

I'm working under one condition.

SLAM

Don't say that.

Not that you care, right?

Your death will be an unfortunate loss.

Recognition is in order, I suppose.

Ain't gonna be necessary.

However, should the worst case come to pass, a contingency plan--

meaning investigation must be conducted in absolute secrecy to prevent panic.

The remaining explosive is a nuclear device.

the bomb ain't a rule.

I'm sure.





Truth is,
I beat
that
game.

...
can't just
instinct.

Relax.

The sake
at the end
was a red
herring.



A red
herring?



If anything,
some psycho
gamer's just
takin' his hobby
too far.

A little
research,
and any punk
coulda made
these in his
garage.

Despite bein'
in big cities,
the bombs is
planted where
there's low
human traffic.

The scale
of the blasts
can't worth the
manpower
gov' into
'em.



Really
...?

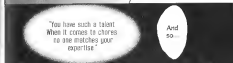


Even
with my
utmost
effort...

I cannot
save a
single life.

and I haven't
the courage
you have to
stand up for
yourself...

I... I don't
come close
to your
level of
intelligence.



"You have such a talent
When it comes to chores
no one matches your
expertise"

And
so...



I beg
you.

Lend me
your
strength,
please...





I ain't got none.

To see your family?

Where are we going?

Yeah?

Been alone my whole life.



I'm sorry.

...



You can follow me if you want, but we ain't gonna be in Kansas no more, Toto.



"Did you enjoy the game? I was certain you would make it this far."



"You needn't worry about the nuclear bomb threat."



"It was a lie that I concocted to draw you out."



Could it be just another threat...?

"Another friend, Keith."

'will be waiting for you at the stairway to Heaven'



GASP

KEITH!



I'm sorry
for the way
I turned
out...

I figured
you deserve
an apology,
even as
I owe you
my life

Karl?

He can't get
no immediate
family so
more...

Rumor has it,
he was about
to go walking
in your
shoes,



I hear he had
a son the same
age as you was
back then.

The agents
they say
you killed...



NO!

if what
really
happened
was...

so I can't
help but
wonder



What
business
could he have
in this level
of neighbor-
hood...?



Miss
me?



Karl...!



I see



You
needed
my help,

so I'm a
free man
'til my
due date

What're you
don't here...?
I thought you
was in federal
prison



'Ey

The man who seemed
fierce upon our first
meeting had a moment
of weakness just now.
Or perhaps I imagined it. ♪



Let's
head back
to that
moldy
apartment,
'uh

I'm done
with my
business

EH?



Uh?

Was that
the reason
you asked for
autonomy?

Wouldn't
a person
normally

want to
use whatever
time was left
to spend
money and
have fun?



I did it.



Keith...?



No...



I still
believe
in you.

Karl...



EHI

He's part of
a smugglin' ring
that Nando's
been chasin' for years.

I told you.
I memorized
the computer
database.

H-How
do you
know all
this...?

Mami's
Sister,
Anahim, Royce

arrived
here for
smugglin'.

We gotta
confirm
that he's still
black listed.

But
listen...

that put in
a call to the
locals for
back-up.

PIP

They'll
send a unit
immediately.

As you
thought, he's
wanted.

Keith.

'Telt.
I still believe
in you.'

Keith...

So was that
the last exit of
such a man
before his
death?

Money was
important
enough for you
to leak national
secrets and kill
a man who got
in your way.

but I do
think you're
hiding some-
thing.

You don't
strike me as
the kind of
person who
would commit
a crime.

Think
whoever you
want. It don't
change any—

Please,
just
stop.

Ccccc

The guy
enterin' this bar.

Look.

Still...

Keith...

GAY ONLY BAR

Good thing we's a pair of guys.

Gay bar, 'eh...

Gays like you standin' alone will attract trouble.

Stick with me.

I'll do it.

Shall we, then?

GLIP

R-

Right

SLANG

Come on...

You's gonna catch this guy yourself.

Cause if you don't,

You wanna be a desk jockey the rest of your life?

you's gonna be don' what these assholes tell you forever

Yeah, you can.

I can't do that --

If you ain't got the guts to take yourself to the next level,

then you may as well just quit the FBI





Atto boy.
You did it.

That was
my first
arrest.

In a matter
of moments,
a squadron
of NY
patrol cars
disappeared.

The
wanted drug
smuggler,
Gusky Rogers,
was apprehended.

Four kilos
of marijuana
were seized
from the
back room.

The bar
owner was also
arrested on drug
conspiracy charges.

And that...

Norco'll
get the
credit.

Too
bad.

The
feeling

I don't
mind

I have
all I
need

of having
ascended
to the
next level



Slipway to Heaven

Zinn

Keith

Keith,
wait.



That's
not the
way...



Wait,
where
are you
going?



Yeah,
good
luck with
that

Finn



I'm glad to have
known you.

Keith,



I fear
it might've
been better
if I hadn't.

But...
somewhere
deep in
my heart,





Have a
bad dream
or some-
thing...?

You was
meanin' like
the dead,
kid

Keith...

You been
lookin' pale
the past
few days

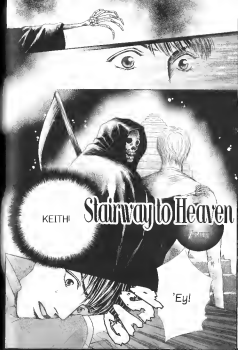
A
dream

I bet you
ain't gotten
enough food
or sleep,
'ah

you oughta
be puttin'
more effort
into stayin'
healthy.

TOUCH

As weak
as your
body
naturally
is,



KEITH!

Stairway to Heaven

'Ey!

you said 'im
encrypted
like you were
supposed to,
right?

Those
documents
I gave you
earlier,

Feister
smokes

where's
the
lad?

Huh...?
Hay...

What
is

but it's so
easy
trying to get that
good-for-nothin'
to reverse your
sentence

I dunno
what you did
to win him
over,

What,
it wasn't
your idea?

Then why
the hell
is he
down' it?

What're
you talkin'
about?

It's dark

I
somewhere
can't
believe

Lucky
guy

You
ain't
giver
yourself
a
fever yet

by day

will
soon
fade
away

that this
man's
warmth,
that
has many
existence,

every
fleeting
moment
brings
the end
meaner

Hay,
Huh-roo-mee!

you still
have
found
the
space,
right?

Every
day,

every
hour,



My vision's getting blurry...

Those past four nights have been rough.

Why don't you take a short break?

Wow

WOW



And tell me why you're so determined.

to save that boy's life.



Don't what?

Of course, no one's taking him seriously,

so now he's up all night, apparently conducting his own investigation.

He asked to have your case reopened, 'cause he's convinced you're innocent.

He put in a formal request to the boys in charge.



then he's as crazy as his buddy on death row.

Still, if he thinks anyone's gonna listen to a guy who only ever does what others tell him to do,



Shut

I bet you ain't gettin' enough sleep, uh?

When he turned 16, however, the neighborhood realized who he was.

Ah...

so he chose to disappear, without a word to even his guardian

searching almost in vain for a place where he wasn't known.

With nowhere to go, Keith hit the streets,

until finally, he was picked up by a man on the outskirts of Brooklyn.

Keith has...

a deep-seated hatred of all criminals.

That may be why he let the FBI recruit him.

That superior intelligence of his led him to antagonize those at positions of authority.

and the only man Keith trusted within the department.

The late Sonny Blade was Keith's partner.

a lot about Keith...

You know...

since it seemed he never went back, barring the one time you were there.

I suppose he meant to protect the man from public scorn.

The man even attempted to kill Keith, a mere child at the time.

Keith's mother was among his victims.

went on an infamous killing spree.

His father, you see,

ENO?

And that naturally includes you!

Isn't it my job to know everything about the agents under me?

My boy, I'm an assistant director of the Federal Bureau of Investigations!

Keith was just seven.

His immediate family was gone, and his extended family disowned him.

No matter where he went, the son was punished for the sins of the father.

This is the first I've heard of it...

Had you already uncovered this in your investigation?



OKA



RISE

Indeed.



This is
Senny
and his
child

Swip



The one
who inspired
this change
in you

was
Keith,
I take
it?

I didn't imagine
you would be
capable of taking
such aggressive
action

All the same,
it seems I've
underestimated
you



I somehow
got the
feeling—

Yes



Excuse
me for
asking,
but—

that this man
sees straight
through
everything—



Six months
ago, a marrow
donor was finally
found. The boy is
now recuperating
at the hospital.

The boy
himself has a
weak constitution,
diagnosed with
leukemia at the
age of five.

As I
understand
it, the mother
died giving
birth.



When I arrived,
I found him
crying over
his father's
dead body.

the child
was there

When
Senny
was shot
by Keith.



his father's
murder

That boy
witnessed



What
became
of him?

I heard
that Senny
Blade had
a son.





any
gratitude.

I don't
expect...



I just
don't
want to
lose you.



I know
I'm doing
this to
satisfy
myself.

I understand
that you
don't want
to be proven
innocent.



B
A
N



If you're
lookin' for some
grateful schmach
to give you a
sense of self-
satisfaction,

look
somewhere
else!



I don't
recall
askin' you
to help
me.

All you
gotta do
is shut your
mouth and
play
watchdog.



Kei!



Oh-fuck

Go on, get outta here!



I don't want you lookin' at me like that. Makes me sick.



Sheltered little sap ain't never tasted Hell at his life.



RELEASE

That's all..



Fetch Kevin.

Kei—

It's time to change watchdogs.



I thought you'd do as told. I was wrong. Simple as that.

To anyone but you.

Change..?

There's bound to be guys like that in the department, you know—who like that sort of thing.

There's a rumor he gave a director a BJ or something.

His faggy face is annoying. Someone musta been drunk to let that little bitch into the FBI.

Though, I gotta admit, I understand the urge to tease him.

Not even two days left to live.

and you get picky about babysitters

Well, Mr. Genius?

After a year behind bars, I wouldn't think you'd be picky 'bout—

Say, is that what happened? He wanted to suck your cock, huh?

So then where's the make-up?

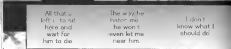
I'm done

Oh... OK.

All clear

Naughty, naughty. Deathrow inmates should interrogate federal agents

I guess so, then





Anyway, did you hear?

About that man you were assigned to

...I see.

Once the consulate checks on his visa, our department will interrogate him

Despite being high on the black list, he managed to enter the country several days ago

Our investigations show he's dragging to be funding terrorist activities



Hey, what are you doing?

Ah...

Don't just stare at them



I don't think I was being that harsh

P-Pick them up.



but it was a vital clue. The director is dead

Thankfully, we saw everything on it before he did.

The report destroyed that disk sent by the terrorist

EH?



Apparently Reed said something to upset the guy

You know the way he looks at me



Huh? Oh, that one

Does this one really belong in our department?

What is he doing on the suspected terrorist list?

Excuse me.

is the smuggler we just arrested

This man...

PASS







"Another friend, Keith."



"Will be waiting for you at the stairway to Heaven."





Please.



"I like
you"



Did you
come to
check on
him,
Keith?



You needn't
worry. He's
catching up
on lost
sleep.

There are
just a few
bruises and
scrapes.
He got off
lucky.

CREAK

Don't drag
Narumi into this...



'You watch
if anythin'
happens
to him

When it
does, they
won't get a
needle in my
arm fast
enough

to stop
me from
sendin' you
down to
Hell first!

Sorry

What on earth
do you want
from me?

Isn't it enough
for you to see
me die?



You gotta
torture me
first?

with my
knowledge
of that
crime.

I'd rather
die than go
on livin'



shot



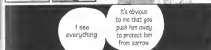
Why did
you dismiss
him from
your detail?



Keith

PASS

If I come
to find
out is
what the
fuck he
was doin'
there.



I see
everything

It's obvious
to me that you
push him away
to protect him
from sorrow.



You
needn't deny
yourself



I don't
care!

It's not
too late to
request a
pardon—





I'll stay here.



We don't have to talk, and I won't come any closer than this

I just want to be with you



No

You oughtta be restin'

Wh- Whatta you don' wanna bed, kid?



I'm I in a hospital...?

!

CREAK



CRASH



I wasn't supposed to have any more attachments to this world

So why now...?







Then—
I don't want
there to be
a tomorrow.



This is
the last
day

I can
even be
with you
like this

I wanted to
feel you more,

live a lifetime
with you,

and love you
much more.





Lead
the way.



and found
evidence linking
you to terrorist
activities.

Search,
the FBI has
searched your
history.



I was
asked to
create
it—

by your
bureau.

What
was the
purpose in
creating
it?



a copy
of which was
sent to our
office one
week ago?

Can you
explain the
presence of
this disk,



CLACK



I will escort
you to the
prison

Keith
Coburn.

where your
sentence will
be carried out
as scheduled
today.



Have
you made
your final
preparations
?



Yeah...



Joerge
Lient.

A man who has
been trading
information
within the
shadows of
his position.



In exchange
for assisting
a traitor
amongst
you.

I was
allowed
into your
country



It is about
the murder
one year ago
of an FBI
agent

The game
is not about
cannon.



The purpose
was to suspend
the death
sentence of
the man
convicted.

Who is
the traitor
P





Kerth...



So would I.

"I would rather die than go on living with my knowledge of that crime."

You said to me,



"Another friend will be waiting for you

at the stairway to Heaven"



Joerge?



to his subordinate, Sonny Blade

One year ago, he proposed selling information to my organization



Joerge promised to arrange a donor if Sonny would steal information from the computer.

a matching marrow donor for whom could not be found.

Sonny had a child with leukemia.



Not Kerth Coburn. He covered up for Sonny.

He did not wish Sonny's child to know that his father was a criminal.

the one leaking information to Russia was...

Then





What're you
doin' gettin'
bank transfers
from Russia?

"This is
top secret
information!"

Who's the
meanin' of
this, Sammy
ah?"

"Let this go."

Please
talk. I
beg you.

Say some-
thin'!

I
I mustn't
get caught
Kath.

"If I don't do
this for him,
then —"

"Do you
even realize
what you're
doin'?"

"What's
you talkin'
about?"

Please!



I will not
chase both
you and
Gorry into
death.

Yes...
I am the one
who sent
the disk,
and I have
disposed myself
since that day,
one year ago.

Kath.

Put
down
the gun,
Joergel!

I would
kill for your
return.

KLIK

JOERGE—

However, I doubt
it is Heaven to
which I shall go.

July 2,
2004 The
testimony
of Sadah
Royan,

along with the
confession of
Joerge Lant,
acquitted
Keith Coburn.



It attested
that Keith shot
Sonny in self
defense.



Later, a letter
was found on
Joerge's desk which
contained a signed
statement.

NOT GUILTY

Found "Not Guilty."



Forgive
me
Keith?



"then I have
no choice but
to tell you"



"If you have
no choice
but to turn
me in—"



Motor—



"What's
wrong
Joerge?"





Did I forget to mention that part?

Regardless, I expect you to supervise my reinstatement. Make sure I don't screw up.



Please, if I just up and left--

Really, Keith?

I ain't gonna be satisfied with another job, and the director begged me to come back.

It'd be like running away from George and George.

From being ostracized as the son of a criminal.



Keith wanted to protect George's child.

From people who own power.



What, you didn't that desk again?

He wanted to spare the boy, that taste of Hell.



BEING TO
FBI. SENT

"Reinstated to FBI Headquarters."



tekka

tekka

tekka



En?

Only one thing missing.



Good Times



End



Based on descriptions provided by those present at the time a list of suspects has been compiled.

It was discovered by a search that neither is a subway garbage can.

The device found was a C-4 plastic explosive.

We have yet to hear word from the party responsible, but the media reported suspects on act of terrorism.



"Yes?"

Ah... what a sweet perfume...

He isn't saying any names in particular, is he?

He is. Column. The man sitting next to you. He is. LO.

Yes, Kurokawa.

Meaning it is possible there will be more than one bomb.



Eh?

Missed!

So go and stakeout these suspects.

And, he... Kurokawa. He is the good one. He is the good one.

That's right. But he's not a good person. He's a bad person. He's a bad person.

They say if you want good by K&C, start with good by DNA.



Oh, and also.

We got a laundry list of suspects, so—

At—I'm coming right away, sir.

We've got work to do.

They found explosives at town.



DO IT YOURSELF.

UH...

Never mind...



I wonder...

What's that never gotten done moved into his room?

Hao...

Don't be late!

We're assembling in briefing room #2.

ALREADY!



Unless you'd rather keep stakin' out your desk.

You's partnerin' with me

Come on.



I can't intendin' to carry his weight

You and Narumi are at different levels...

Wa-Wait a minute! You can't just choose your partner like that.



All you gotta do now is protect your own self.

Don't expect to see to come to your rescue.

Don't matter how you get it. You got real field experience.

Whatto you say, Narumi?



N-NO WAY...!

Don't?

He was involved with several women before he got married.

And not just because of his beauty.

His DNA is still on the most wanted list.



No, this is like a good-name goods to go to.

Oh, personally, I'm not too sure.

IQ 200+



so it's possible he took me as his only sexual outlet.

Well, he had a good reason for that.

I was the one person he had full access to during the week before his scheduled execution.



CLACK

Narumi.

Of course he'd choose a beautiful woman who could bear his children.

over a useless idiot like me.

Kath,
what type
of women
do you
like?

I wonder
if he was
trying to
prevent me
from coming.

My
competitor
spit got
the better
of me.

Maybe
I should
try.

He was
saying
nothing.

Kel-

she's incredible
Gorgeous, and
more capable
than most male
agents

Julie,
you
know,

And yet
I can't seem
to get a
deeper
glimpse

Wah...

Julie

I'm sure
she's a fine
woman,
but her
partner's fancy
and her older
relatives is too
obvious

I'd
also like to
know
about

Yeah...

Julie

She looks
like this
older woman
I used to
date.



If it
comes to it,
I'll leave you
without looking
back.



If you
can't
handle
that...



You don't
gotta
come with
me.







